



Altec Lansing inMotion iM9 Volume and Power Buttons Replacement

Use this guide to replace the volume and power buttons on top of the Altec Lansing inMotion iM9.

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INTRODUCTION

In this guide, you will pry off the control panel to unscrew and desolder the circuit boards. If you are not comfortable with soldering, you can use this [guide](#).



TOOLS:

- [Metal Spudger](#) (1)
- [Phillips #1 Screwdriver](#) (1)
- [Soldering Station](#) (1)



PARTS:

- [Desoldering Braid](#) (1)

Step 1 — Battery



- Gently push down on the two tabs at the top of the battery door.
- While holding them down, slowly pull the door towards you.

Step 2



- Once the door is open, use your hand to pull out the four batteries.

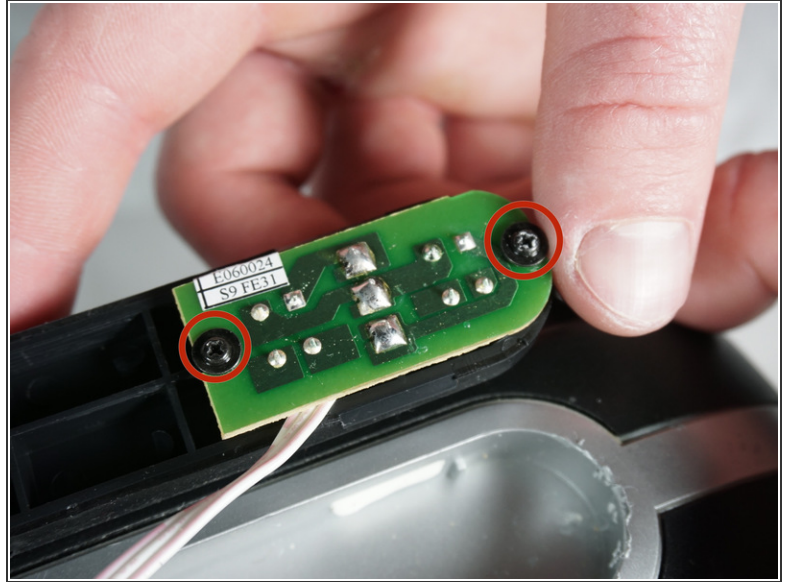
Step 3 — Volume and Power Buttons



- Pry off the control panel on top of the speaker using the metal spudger. You may need to use a lot of force.

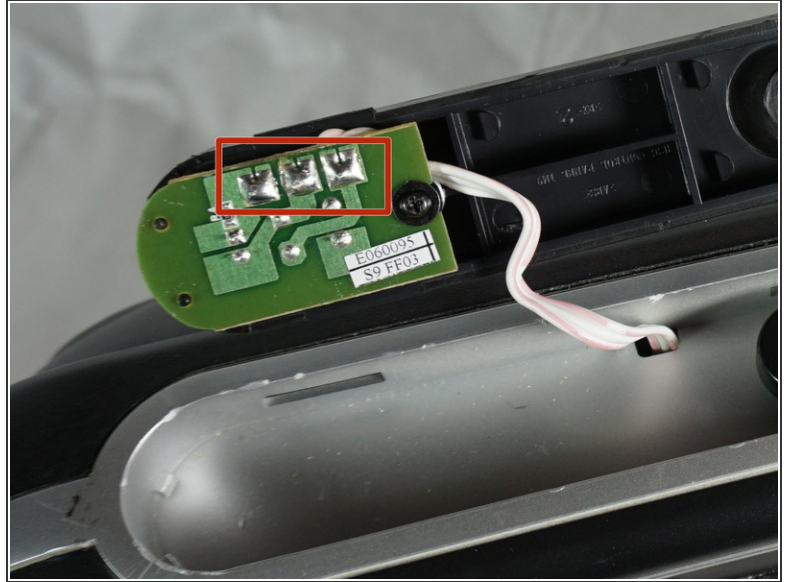
 Start in the middle and work your way around the perimeter.

Step 4



- Using a Phillips #1 screwdriver, remove the two 7mm screws that hold the volume button circuit board to the control panel.
- Also remove the single 7mm screw from the power button circuit board on the opposite side.
- ⓘ There will be a little plastic piece under the eject button that you can just remove and set aside.

Step 5



- Desolder the three solder joints connecting the wires to the volume button circuit board.
 - Do the same to the power button circuit board on the other side (the board with only one screw).
 - Pull out the wires using a lot of force.
- ⓘ If you are not familiar or comfortable with soldering, use this [guide](#)

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.

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